



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/655,904  
Applicant : JAMES D. PARSONS  
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Title: ACOUSTIC ABSORPTION RADIATION SENSING IN SiC

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed May 3, 2005,  
kindly amend the above application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this  
paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** - there are no amendments to  
the drawings.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.